We gather the following information from the

Petersburg Express of Saturday: The following deaths are reported through the Board of Health for the 24 hours ending Thursday, August 16th, at 2 o'clock, p. m.: Wm. G. Baton, aged 40 years, from Portsmouth; Wm. Hodgen, aged 52, residence No. 88 Main street; George Billups, aged 19, Cumberland street, occupation in the infected districts; Columbus Rhea, No. 24 Rhea's Lane; Dr. Richard W. Sylvester, aged 54, residence Granby street; Mr. Creiston, No. 37 W. Main street; Capt. James E. Henderson, No. 28 Cumberland street; Capt. James E. Henderson, No. 28 Cumberland street—occupation in the infected district; Mrs. Curtain, aged 67, residence N. Church street; Caroline Phillips, aged 23, Rhea's Lane. Total 9.

Miss Annie M. Andrews, of Syracuse, New

Miss Annie M. Andrews, of Syracuse, New York, arrived at Norfolk on Thursday morning, and tendered her services to his Honor, Mayor Woodis, as a nurse in the hospital. Miss Annie is said to be a very handsome young lady, whose philanthropic spirit has prompted her to this noble sacrifice of self. His Honor promptly accepted her services, and as promptly escorted her ted her services, and as promptly accepted her services, and as promptly escorted her down to Julapi, where she was duly installed.

Miss A. made a handsome contribution to the funds of the Howard Association.

Three Sisters of Charity, from Baltimore, ar-

rived also on Thursday morning.

The Union Steamship Company, of Philadelphia, have sent to the Howard Association the dsome sum of \$600. Since the above was written we have seen a letter to a gentleman in this city, dated yesterday which states that the fever is increasing, and the

deaths number from ten to twelve daily.

Mrs. John James is dead. The family of Simon S. Stubbs, late Mayor, including himself, are down with the fever. Dr. Manning is sick.

From Portsmouth. The accounts from Portsmouth are of a truly melancholy character. The deaths number some trades deaths number some twelve per day-and the new cases yesterday were between twenty-five and thirty, notwithstanding at least four-fifths of the population have left the city.

A correspondent writes as follows: Our town presents a gloomy and sombre aspect. There is not a magistrate or constable here; the Council is without a quorum; and nearly all the town officers are gone. Two of the police officers are dead, and a third is now sick. The stores and banks are closed; the market is deserted; the private dwellings are tenantless, and all the hotels and boarding-houses are shut up. All our citizens (except those who remain from a sense of duty) who could raise the means to get off here. duty) who could raise the means to get off have left. There were twelve deaths yesterday, and from twenty to thirty new cases of fever.

The angel of death is hovering over us, and the few left are falling like leaves in autumn.

In Norfolk I learn the fever is raging to a fearful extent. A daughter of Com. Samuel Barron has died since last reports.

The following notice appears in the Beacon of Friday morning:
The public will be gratified to know that the steamer Princess Anne will connect with the steamer Louisiana, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, for the purpose of bringing her freight and passengers up to this city. We may now be sure of receiving a regular supply of all necessary stores and provisions.

Death of Dr. Sylvester.—The death of this estimates the state of the stat

mable citizen and eminent physician, is thus recorded in the Herald: It is our melancholy duty to record the death

of Dr. R. W. Sylvester, one of our most emi-nent physicians, and a member of the newly appointed Board of Health. He expired at eleven o'clock yesterday morning, after an illness of six days of the fever, aged 54 years. Dr. Sylvester was formerly a resident of Norfolk county, but has resided in this city for many

years past. He was one of the best of men in every relation of life, and is a great loss not only to his family, but to our community.

From the Norfolk Beacon, of Saturday, we have the report of the Board of Health for the 24 hours ending Friday, 8 p. m.

Oliver Allsworth, Josephine Allen, Sarah Pugh—infected district; Wm. Sclater, aged 28,

Fen Church street, from infected district; Wm. Cregg, 38 Charlotte street; Wm. Banks, (color-ed) 25 Hawk street; Alfred Trader, 18 Water Total 7.

The Howard Association acknowledged the recontributions from the citizens. From Jos. T. Souter, \$100; Blow & March, \$100; Brown & D'Rosset, \$50; Benton & Bros., \$20; Massie & Walker, \$50; Trueman & Co., \$100; all of New

The Fever in Norfolk and Portsmouth.

DEATHS .- T. Keeling, (clerk to Vickery & Griffith.) Mrs. William V. Taylor, (wife of the cashier of the Savings Bank,) T Mehegan, and Captain

New Cases .- Josiah Shipp and R. C. Barclay, (both having the black vomit, are considered hopeless;) the wife and several children of S. S. Stubbs, (late Mayor, who is also down;) Dr. Manning, Charles Constable, John Hayman (printer,) Mrs. Dr. Barnard, and George Chambers.

The fever in Portsmouth continues unabated: fast finding new victims in the few persons who remain. Nourishment and nurses are much

A violent thunder storm passed over the city on Friday night. The alms-house was struck by lightning, but not destroyed. Two buildings, belonging respectively to S. March and Borum and McClean, in the fair grounds, were struck by lightning, and burnt.

CROSSING THE ATLANTIC IN THREE DAYS .-A working engineer, by the name of John Ross, residing in Montreal, has addressed a letter to the mayor of Boston upon the subject of a recent invention of an extraordinary character. He claims to have discovered a new motive power which will wast a ship across the Atlantic in three days; and, further, if a hole were bored in the bottom the vessel would float with equal safety and freedom. In order to complete a a working model, which is wholly independent of steam, he asks the assistance of fifteen hunof steam, he asks the assistance of fifteen hundred dollars from some gentleman's pocket. No progress, says Mr. Ross, has been made in that direction (the sea) to keep pace with the move-ments over railroads on the land, but this desideratum will certainly be accomplished and demonstrated in his great discovery.

Sound DOCTRINE.-In a sermon, delivered by Rev. Dr. Bellows, of New York, before the Western Unitarian Conference, is the following paragraph:

"For my part, I say it in all solemnity, I have lived to become sincerely suspicious of the piety of those who do not love pleasure in any form. I those who do not love pleasure in any form. I cannot trust the man who never laughs; that is History of Literature and Art. By Wm. Smith, always sedate; that has no apparent outlets for those natural springs of sportiveness and gayety that are perennial in the human soul. I know that are perennial in the human soul. I know that nature takes her revenge on such violence. I expect to find secret vices, malignant sins, or I expect to find secret vices, malignant sins, or horrid or mes springing up in this bot-bed of confined air and imprisoned space; and, therefore it gives me a sincere moral gratification any-where, and in any community, to see innocent pleasure and popular amusements resisting the religious biogotry that frowns so unwisely them. Anything is better than that dark, dead, unhappy social life—prey to enaut and morbid excitement, which results from unmitigated puritanism, whose second crop is usually bridied license and infamous folly."

O L FOR LOCOMOTIVES .- The Alabama Knickerbocker says that during the month of May, forty-nine locomotives on the Central Railroad used up over a thousand gallons of oil. This is equal to ten hlids. This oil costs about \$3 per gallonwhich shows that to keep a locomotive properly greased for a single month uses up about \$40 the respectable journals which have given cur-

A CURIOUS DOCUMENT.—A chart has recently been executed by M. Carlambert, a member of the Royal Geographical Society of Paris. It is designed to show the distribution of great men over the soil of France. It appears that La Mancha has produced the greatest peets, philosophers, his-torians and artists. The region near the North Sea have been most fertile in generals; while ora-tors, physicians, naturalists and inventors have sprung up on the shores of the Mediterranean. Politicians and lawyers naturally come from all Elections to Take Place.

The following is a schedule of the elections which are to take place during the present year for State officers and representatives to Congress: California-Tuesday, Sept. 4, State officers. Vermont—Tuesday, September 4, State officers. Maine—Monday, September 10, State officers. Georgia—Monday, October 1, State officers and

ght representatives. Pennsylvania—Tuesday, Oct. 9, State officers. Indiana—Tuesday, October 9, State officers. Ohio—Tuesday, October 9, State officers. Louisiana—Monday, November 5, State officers nd four representatives.

Mississippi-Monday, November 5, State officers and five representatives. New York—Tuesday, Nov. 6, State efficers. Wisconsin—Tuesday, Nov. 6, State officers. Maryland—Wednesday, November 7, six repre-Massachusetts-Monday, November 12, State

In Tennessee, Alabama, California, Indiana, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania, the legislatures in each State elect one United States senator.

Com. Cocke, United States navy, confirms the report that the ship he commanded the St. Louis, on which there were some bags of guano, escaped the yellow fever, in Rio, when it prevailed there. He thinks the guano had some agency in keeping the ship free from the disease. It is worth a trial—Alexandria Gaz.

ARRIVAL OF JOHN B. GOUGH .- John B. Gough, the noted temperance lecturer, arrived in Boston on Saturday, from Europe. He was waited upon by a committee, by whom he was cordially wel-comed home, and, after an interchange of salutations, was conveyed, with Mrs. Gough, to the house of Deacon Grant. He left yesterday afternoon for his home in Boylston. He will probably return to England next July. He declines any public demonstration at this time, but in the course of a month or two, he will probably respond to a call to speak in Boston. spond to a call to speak in Boston.

DEATHS.

In Ellizabethtown. New Jersey, of congestion f the brain, MARGARET MAGRUDER, consort of T. Robinson Rodgers, esq., and youngest daughter of Josian F. Caldwell, esq., of this

On Tuesday morning, 14th instant, LAURA McP., in the 18th year of her age, second daughter of Henry and J. Catherine Thecker.
On the 15th instant, after a lingering illness, Daniel Bogan Robertson, youngest son of Daniel and Mary Elizabeth Robertson, aged year and 4 months.

On Friday night, the 10th instant, at 10 o'clock,

OBITUARY.

is city.

No event can be imagined, casting so deep a hadow over the cheerful associations of home, mother, beneath whose blessed influence the Home was her cherished sphere; she studied to the absence of judicial position. He may, for inthe centre of every beautiful and hallowed influ- race! Ministers of the gospel, too, from whom most sacred in their past history and their present | Doctor of Divinity, which is of no more efficacy experience. For many years she was an uncom- in pulpit ministrations than " sounding brass or plaining sufferer; pain was the familiar companion | tinkling cymbal." of her daily thoughts and of her nightly pillow; ceipt of a large lot of provisions from the citizens of Baltimore, also a check for \$100, from Chubb & Brothers of Washington, with the authority to draw for \$200 more, and the promises of liberal and the tendency of the hopes. The wounded there was no less than the number of a hundred of ing child seeks refuge in the mother's bosom, ball! and, by a similar tendency, her sanctified heart BALTIMORE, August 18-P. M.-In addition to sickness survive the hand that traced them, and ers, those at a distance may be interested in learnthe deaths and new cases reported, we add, in bear testimony to the serene confidence with ing that the best beef is now selling at twelve and Painting—taught in one lesson. Any leaf, plant, and forbid them to "sorrow as those without hope.

> THE JOLLY CLUB Was organized on the 15th of August, 1855, by the election of the following officers:
> M. Flanigan, President.

J. St. CLAIR. Vice President J. FRANKLIN, Treasurer.

Stimulating Liniment, as prepared at GILMAN'S Drug Store, is deserving of the highest commendation as a cure for Chronic and Acute Rheumatism. It seldom, if ever, fails to give speedy and permanent relief. This Liniment has een prepared by Z. D. Gilman, chemist of this city for many years, and since its introduction has been extensively used by many of the most re-spectable families in the District and vicinity, to whom reference can be made at any time as to its magical effects in curing Rheumatism, even in elderly persons, who had been sufferers for a long time. It was originally made for horses, for the cure of lameness, saddle galls, &c., and is now much used for such purposes, being an invaluable

TOURNAMENT AND FANCY BALL AT THE Fauguter White Sulphur Springs.

THE Tournament will take place on Thursday, the 30th of August, and the Fancy Ball on the evening of the 31st. Knights from a distance are invited to enter the list with the sons of the Old Dominion. On Wednesday, the 29th, there will be a Stag

the day of the tournament. ALEX. BAKER. HISTORY OF GREECE,-A History of A Greece, from the earliest times to the Roman Conquest, with supplementary chapters on the

University. The above work is intended principally for schools of the higher classes. Just received and for sale at the Bookstore of R. FARNHAM, corner of hear of similar offices of charity. Actuated by Pennsylvania avenue and 11th street. Aug 21.

The Fauquier White Sulphur Springs, Va. A RE now open for the reception of Com-

than they ever have been.

A gross misrepresentation against them having been published in the Petersburg Intelligencer and Baltimore Sun, to the effect that they were closed for the season, is now traced to an irre-sponsible source, unworthy of notice. It is pro-per to state that there is no shadow of foundation for it, and the subscriber trusts that he will not be made the victim of such malignity; and that rency to the rumor by transferring it to their columns, will disabuse the public mind through the same medium.

ALEX. BAKER.

POCALYPTC SKETCHES.—Lectures

Benedictions, or the Blessed Life, by the Rev. Cumming, D. D.; 75 cents.

School Books and School Requisites at the low navy yard. est price, for sale at the bookstore of GRAY & BALLANTYNE,

Local and Dersonal.

Its appearance denotes age-its roof is green with Wednesday, there will be a stag chase, the venimoss, and its walls are crumbling to decay. son to be served at the conclusion of the tourna-White-wash, however, serves to render its aspect ment. Gallantry is yet predominant, and many tolerable, though we cannot say that the structure a Knight will doubtless enter the lists to contend is in the least degree ornamental to Pennsylvania for the approving smiles of love and beauty. avenue-the great and beautiful thoroughfare. Anon, the western wing was added to the premises, after the same style of architecture; more for the sake of uniformity, certainly, than for the display of classic taste! With those accommodations, the people were content; but, after a while market-houses were erected in other parts of the of our belles and beaux, and perhaps married folks, city, to meet the demands of the rapidly increasing population. The central portion of Washington, however, is not suited in that particular, and day by day this fact becomes more and more manifest. The country people are literally driven to the streets, the lines of wagons extending several up to vesterday, under the act of third March, squares beyond the market space. (as properly defined.)

It is a general remark that never before, in any previous year, has the attendance of venders been so large as during the present season; and complaint is uttered in the same breath because suitable accommodations are not provided for

them. The subject is one which has occupied the attention of the city authorities for years; and, as a preliminary movement toward the erection of a better structure, and with a view to extended facilities to all classes of dealers, a plan has been prepared by a distinguished architect, (Mr. Renlett,) and accepted by the municipality.

The Mayor, in his communication to the Councils, on the 25th of June last, said he was "satisfied this highly desirable and long-looked for improvement can be made without recourse to the revenue of the Corporation." Then, why do not the Councils go to work, and consummate the plan?

Titles .- It is true, as an exchange paper re marks, that the ridiculous habit of affixing and prefixing terms of distinction to the names of men THOMAS SESSFORD, in the 36th year of his seems to be on the increase. Formerly, the cusage, son of Margarer and the late James Sess tom was regulated by a law and a sense of protom was regulated by a law and a sense of propriety; but now, men of all grades, trades, professions, countries, and colors, are designated as honorables, esquires, or professors. And, it is Died, on the 26th ultimo. Mrs. MATILDA honorables, esquires, or professors. And, it is GRAMMER, wife of Mr. G. C. GRAMMER, of truly said, "a common fiddler feels himself aggrieved unless he is recognized as a professor!"

We have repeatedly seen in the announcement of "distinguished arrivals," in distant newspais the removal of a motaer, especially a Christian pers, the "Hon." prefix to the names of some of our own citizens, whose consequence never characters of a household have been formed and loomed above a drygoods or a grocery counter ipened and their best impulses habitually called and have frequently been at a loss to account for into activity. This remark applies with peculiar the manner in which others have acquired the force to the present instance of bereavement. military title of "General," "Colonel," or "Major;" The subject of this obituary notice was one of that of "Captain" being somewhat contemptible, hose gentle and retiring spirits to whom the sanc- as associated with the imaginary greatness. We ities of domestic life are peculiarly congenial. conceive how a man can be dubbed "judge," in pervade it with all that is good and pure, become stance, be a "judge" at a cock-fight or a horseence which can surround a pious parent. She in other times, a distaste for unnecessary affixes lived chiefly for the immortal interests of her hus- was expected, have fallen into the love of such band and children; and her memory will be appendages to their names, and accept from even blended in their minds with all that is best and petty institutions of learning the useless title of

Well might not a few people, in their love of and in her case, as in most other instances, pain titles, exclaim, with Dogberry, "Write me down bird flees to the parent's nest, the sick and suffer | them imposingly announced as the managers of a

The Cost of Living .- Although the prices of a half cents a pound; mutton, lamb, and pork, the rows into her Father's ear, and the beautiful sub- same; butter from twenty-five to thirty-seven and mission with which she surrendered herself ha. a half cents a pound; chickens, a pair, fifty cents; bitually to Ifis all-wise disposal. Summoned from | eggs, twenty cents a dozen; apples and peaches, earth in the meridian of life, she has bequeathed twenty-five cents a peck; potatoes, sweet, fifty, to those who loved her the legacy of a beautiful and Irish, twenty-five cents a peck; green corn. a example, which will speak from her silent grave dozen, twelve cents. Most of the other kinds of other articles, so as to remain perfectly indelible price of the best family flour, twelve dollars and a

> A Freak .- Several days ago a young woman was arrested by an officer for dressing in men's attire and promenading the streets thus appareled. The police justice for the fifth ward imposed a set at liberty. This is the first instance, we believe, in our city's history, that a woman has been punished for "wearing the breeches." We do not know, however, whether she is the only one of her sex hereabout who has made the attempt to don the bifurcated garment!

Sunday Travelling .- All the available horse flesh, fast and slow teams, of this city, were called in requisition, on Sunday last, for transporting hundreds of persons to the Montgomery county camp-meeting, (which is held in a grove seventeen or eighteen miles from Washington,) and back, article wherever a Liniment is required either for | during the same day. Though they all had "a hard road to travel," they made what is called good time. It cannot be supposed that the love of gospel teachings was the incentive to undertake so long a journey, considering that there are about sixty churches in this metropolis!

Something Shot!-Twelve o'clock at night, a concert of dogs-could not have been fewer than the number of persons in Jullien's full orchestraterrible howling, and barking, and other sounds Chase, the venison (two saddles) to be eaten on characteristic of the canine race—the discord diversions of the "out-siders," however, were interrupted. A pistol fired, from an upper chamber, produced a scatteration. A sharp "Ki-ii" pierced the ear. Blood was seen next morning at the late theatre of the performances; and we ressonably concluded something had been shot!

Contributions for the relief of the distressed citizens of the fever-infected cities of Virginia continue to be made, and from all quarters we a commendable spirit of benevolence, the Franklin Fire Company propose giving the proceeds of their excursion, which is to take place next Wednesday, to the sufferers in Portsmouth, Gosport, and Norfolk.

Accident.-While a party of eight or ten persons was returning from the Montgomery County Camp-meeting, on Sunday evening, the coach was accidentally upset, while the driver was endeavoring to avoid a collision with a team in the road.

All of them were injured, slightly, with the excep-All of them were injured, slightly, with the exception of Mr. Hiram Browning, who had three of his ribs broken, the vehicle falling upon him

Relief of the Sufferers.-Upward of two thousand dollars have been contributed by our citizens for the relief of the sufferers by the yellow A on the Book of Revelation, by the Rev. John fever in Portsmouth, Gosport, and Norfolk; one ball of the amount, it is said, by the mechanics half of the amount, it is said, by the mechanics and other persons employed in the Washington

Five Sisters of Charity left Washington, yester-On 7th street, near Odd Fellows' Hall day, for the purpose of attending the sick.

Chivalric .- The proprietor of the Fauquier THE "MOUNTAIN HOUSE," at this well es-White Sulphur Springs-Mr. Alex. Baker-with

Centre Market.—More than fifty years ago. the people of this city—then numbering about three thousand—erected that portion of the Centre Market-house which fronts on Seventh street. Its appearance denotes age—its roof is green with

White Suppar Springs—Mr. Alex. Baker—with a view of affording additional attractions at that delightful watering place, announces a Tournament for Thursday, the thirtieth instant; to which Kaights from a distance are invited to join their brethren of the Old Dominion. On the preceding the advantages of active competition, leave Windersday, there will be a stag chase, the vening the competition of the Competition of the Old Dominion. On the preceding the advantages of active competition, leave Windersday, there will be a stag chase, the vening the competition of the Competition of the Old Dominion. On the preceding the advantages of active competition, leave Windersday, there will be a stag chase, the vening the competition of the Competiti On the night of the 31st instant, there will be a fancy ball, at which, to the sounds of choice in-

strumental music, the gay company can be inno-As the springs are within a comparatively short distance of Washington, it is presumed that some

too, will avail themselves of the pleasures afforded by the enterprising proprietor. Bounty Lands .-- The whole number of claims for bounty lands received at the Pension office,

cently happy.

and warrants issued, 20,236. Washington National Monument .-- After a cessation of six months, operations were commenced, yesterday under the auspices of the new board of managers, on this structure.

Returned .- The respective heads of all the Departments are now at their posts; the Secretary of the Navy and the Postmaster General having returned to the city on Saturday. The President of the United States, so far as the Executive branch of the Government is concerned, has the pleasures of "abroad," at the Virginia Springs, to

In these dull times, no man can even look at the idle hackmen without being surrounded by a cordon of whips, and impatiently asked by all of them, nearly at the same moment, "A hack, sir?"

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on the arrival of the cars, and reaches Capon at 4½ p.m. Passengers leaving Baltimore at 4½ a.m. by the Washington road, connect with this train by steamboat at Alexandria, and can breakfast on the boat. The connection with Baltimore by this route is certain, and the trip pleasant and expedi-

Board per day \$2; Week, \$12; Month, \$40; Children and colored servants half price.

T. L. BLACKMORE,

DE 7—tf THOMAS B. P. INGRAM.

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> Board per day \$2; Week, \$12; Month, \$40; Children and colored servants half price. ALEXANDER BAKER, Late of Washington City.

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TRAYED OR STOLEN from the Festival, at Bladensburg, on the night of Tuesday last, a DARK BROWN MARE, with her fore feet bare, a white star in the forehead, and marked on the back with saddle pinch; the said mare had a saddle on. Whoever will return said mare, or give information where she can be found, will receive many thanks, and Five Dollars as a re-ward. JOSEPH JONES, Manager for CHARLES B. CALVERT, Rossburg, Prince Georges Co., Maryland.

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TOHN H. BUTHMANN, Importer and Dealer in Wine, Brandy, &c., has received his supply of Bordeaux Wines, to say— 200 cases of Red and White Wine, consisting of Chateau Lafitte, Chateau Margaux, Chateau, Leoville, Margaux Medoc, St. Julien, St. Estephe, Haut Sauternes, &c. 25 hogsheads of Claret and White Wine

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rocure the latest and most reliable inforon public affairs. It is the intention of the undersigned to make the Spectator an acceptable visiter to every house in the Union, and it will therefore not as sume on any occasion the position of a partizan paper, nor will it owe any allegiance to men; but entertaining fixed and decided views on questions of political economy, and upon our system of gov-ernment, it will disseminate and promulgate them as occasion may require—always keeping carefully

in view the interests of the country, growing out of foreign as well as domestic affairs. The SPECTATOR will be printed in quarto form on good paper and new type; each number con taining eight pages of matter, making one volume annually of 416 pages. Each volume will be ac companied by a full and comple index to its contents, thus making it a most valuable paper for preservation and reference. It will be published every Saturday morning, at \$2 per annum, payable always in advance. No paper will be continued beyond the time for which it is paid.

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